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PROPOSED AMENDMENT

May 25, 2015

Senate Bill No. 185

PURPOSE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

- To allow impacted entities until October 1, 2015 to negotiate automatic aid agreements to comply with the bill's mandate
- To require the impacted entities to meet regularly to discuss the implementation of a comprehensive agreement for mutual regional emergency and fire protection services
- To require the impacted entities to report quarterly to the Legislative Commission regarding the status of the entities' discussions and progress

EXPLANATION – Matter in (1) *bolded italics* is new language in the original bill; (2) *green bold italic underlining* is new language proposed in this amendment.

TEXT OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

The following is a proposed addition to the bill's preamble to be placed after the second "whereas" statement:

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of all the citizens of Washoe County that the local governments of Washoe County agree on and enter into a comprehensive agreement for mutual regional coverage for emergency and fire protection services, which provides the best services in the most cost effective manner; and

Section 1. Chapter 475 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, in a county whose population is 100,000 or more but less than 700,000, the entity that is responsible for the emergency fire-fighting vehicle located closest to a structure or brush fire shall respond to and take all actions necessary to suppress the fire regardless of whether the fire occurs within the territory served by the entity.

Section 2. The entities subject to the provisions of Section 1 shall negotiate the terms of automatic aid agreements between one unother to address cost reimbursement, defined areas of coverage and any other issues identified by the entities.

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